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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Jeffrey S. Smith
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Application No.: 10/677,377)	
	:	Conf. No.: 9735
Filed: October 3, 2003)	
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For: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS)	
IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD,	:	
PROGRAM, AND RECORDING)	
MEDIUM	:	April 20, 2007

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 23, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The specification changes begin on page 2, amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning on page 4, and the Remarks begin on page 13.